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WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BRANCH STAFF

SUBJECT: SDA ADVISORY COMMITTEE CONFERENCE CALL MINUTES-

JANUARY 21, 2000

The minutes and revised agenda from the Service Delivery Area (SDA) Advisory Committee conference call held on Friday, January 21, 2000, at 10 a.m. are attached for your review and information. Please ensure that the minutes are provided to the appropriate staff.

If you have any questions regarding the minutes, please contact Jim Scholl, at (916) 657-4610.

/S/ BILL BURKE Chief

Attachments

SERVICE DELIVERY AREA ADVISORY COMMITTEE CONFERENCE CALL

Friday, January 21, 2000



10:00 a.m.	Welcome/Agenda Adjustments/Hot Topics	Bill Burke, JTPD
10:20 a.m.	Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Update	Linda Monroe, California Office of Workforce Investment
10:40 a.m.	Use of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Money for Summer Youth	Joe Daniel, Tulare County Private Industry Council

SERVICE DELIVERY AREA (SDA) ADVISORY COMMITTEE CONFERENCE CALL MINUTES

Friday, January 21, 2000

<u>Welcome/Agenda Building/Hot Topics</u>—Bill Burke, Job Training Partnership Division (JTPD)

- **SDA Quarterly Meeting**—The next SDA Quarterly meeting will be held in San Diego on Tuesday, April 18, 2000. As soon as the site is secured, an information bulletin will be sent out with the details.
- Closeout Plan—The JTPD Closeout Plan due date is now March 1, 2000.
 Additionally, JTPD will be sending the Advisory Committee Members' financial staff
 the draft closeout package for review and comment. The JTPD will also contact the
 Fiscal Programs Division to see if the SDAs' September 30, 2000, closeout report
 date can be extended. The State still has not heard from the Department of Labor
 (DOL) on our request to extend the closeout date to December 31, 2000.

<u>Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Update</u>—Linda Rogaski and Norma McKay, California Office of Workforce Investment

California Workforce Investment Board (CWIB)

The California Workforce Investment Board's first meeting will be January 27 and 28th in Millbrae. There are 64 members including the Governor and/or his designee. Larry Gotlieb has been selected by the Governor's Office as the chair. Some pieces of the agenda are on the WIA Web site (http://www.calwia.org), such as the youth plan and designation information. The State Plan, once approved for public comment, will be out on the Web site no later than January 31. The schedule for taking public comments on the State Plan is as follows:

February 9 San Diego
February 10 Anaheim
February 14 Sacramento
February 15 Fresno

February 17 South San Francisco

Flyers will be released next week by mail to 7,000 entities. Start time for the meetings is 9 a.m.

WIA Allocations

At this time, there is no information on the allocation of WIA resources to California nor is it on the CWIB agenda. In addition, the issue of hold harmless has not yet been decided. A decision either way will affect allocations to individual Local

Workforce Investment Areas (LWIA). Next week, at the U.S. Conference of Mayors, membership will offer a resolution to Congress, asking for a supplemental funding of \$500 million for Summer Youth jobs money, to be provided as soon as possible.

Performance Measures and Negotiations Workgroup

The Performance Measures and Negotiations Workgroup will meet in Sacramento on February 2 and 11. The JTPD has organized the workgroup in coordination with California Workforce Association. The February 11 meeting will focus on the definition of the measures and the role of the workgroup to make recommendations on the negotiations process and the level of the State goals. On the 11th, the group will discuss recommended levels for each performance measure. Final performance negotiations between the DOL and the Employment Development Department (EDD), and between the EDD and the local entities will occur after the final guidance is received from the DOL. We expect that guidance no later than the middle of March.

<u>Use of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Funding for Summer Youth</u>—Joe Daniel, Tulare County

Due to the greatly reduced Summer Youth program funding, SDAs are looking for additional funding.

Some ideas to investigate at the local level include the use of:

- TANF funding
- Tobacco tax funding
- Support of the Council of Mayor's supplemental appropriations resolution of \$500 million for Summer Youth

There was a concern that Section 1090 of the Government Code needed to be amended. Section 1090 prohibits specified officers from being financially interested in any contracts made by a board of which they are a member, such as a Local Workforce Investment Board (LWIB). It appears that this State law would prohibit LWIBs from being designated or certified as the One-Stop operators.

The next advisory conference call will be February 11 at 10 a.m. This call will focus on the definition of the measures and the role of the workgroup to make recommendations on the negotiation process and the level of the State goals. On the 11th, the group will discuss recommended levels for each performance measure. The final performance negotiations between the DOL, EDD, and local entities will occur after the final guidance is received from the DOL. We expect that guidance no later than mid-March.